

**Amendments to the Abstract**

Please **amend** the Abstract to read.

-- A technique for controlling a transceiver apparatus (~~100~~) is useful for reducing power consumption, and may be particularly applicable to mobile transceivers which employ a battery power supply. According to an exemplary embodiment, the transceiver apparatus (~~100~~) includes a power amplifier (~~56~~) for amplifying a transmission signal. A controller (~~30~~) controls the power amplifier (~~56~~) based on a power level of third order intermodulation products associated with the power amplifier (~~56~~). --